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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3102**  
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Serial No. 10/531,006 : Group Art Unit 1791  
Filed April 12, 2005 : Examiner Robert J. Grun  
FOAM MOLDING METHOD : **Mail Stop: RCE**  
AND APPARATUS

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action having a mailing date of February 24, 2009, and further to the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-referenced U.S. patent application as follows: